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(FOR THE COUNTRY.) THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, at \$6 per

annum-payable in advance. MARTHA WASHINGTON'S WATCH.-The "Father of His Country" had a couple of "love affairs." The first was with Miss Mary Paillipse, a daughter of the owner of the Phillipse estate in Westchester and Putnam counties. With the graces of this lady he was almost in curably smitten, and tradition avers that "George II."—as he is profanely called—"sat up" with his "girl" all night occasionally. But, in the modern phrase, Mary "couldn't see it," and gave George the mitten some time in the year 1756. In 1758 he met the widow Custis, and not being favored at that time with the advice of the elder Mr. Samuel Weller, he neglected to "bevare" of that dangerous varie ty of the sex, fell over head and cars in love with Mrs. Custis, successfully "sparked" her, and in due course of time was married to her. His old flame, Miss Phillipse, became the wite of Roger Morris. George's wedding occurred in 1759. After the betrothal of George and Martha he presented his lady love with a handsome gold watch, which was manufacwatch is now in Newburg, and an effort is being made by the citizens to purchase this interesting old relic and deposit it at Washington's headquarters in that city. The price asked for it is only \$1,000. It was given by Mrs. Washington to Mrs. Halyburton, her niece, and the mother of Judge James D. Halyburton, of Virginia. The saddest part of its history is that it is new thrown on the market for sale, as one of the results to its owners, the family of Judge Halyburton, of the fortunes of our late war, which stripped so many of our Southern

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-New York Evening Telegram. Just now the Hohenzollern family of Prussia is occupying an unusual share of public attention in all parts of the world. This is owing to the fact that one of its members has been made a scape goat, on whose head is laid the pretext for a war between France and Prussia. The princely family dates from Count Thalasso, A. D. 800, as its most ancient progenitor, and originated in one-alterward divided into two-small independent principal ities of the Germanic Confederation under the names of Hohenzollern-Heichen and Hohen zollern Sigmaringen. The territory forms a narrow strip of land surrounded by Wurtem berg, except on the southwest, where it is bounded by Baden. It has an area of four hundred square miles. and a population of 65, 000. The territory derives its name from an old mountain castle near Heichingen. This was the original abode of the Hohenzollers family. The descendants of Count Thalasso having established themselves as rulers over the provinces of which the original Kingdom of Prussia was composed, Frederick the Great contrived to concentrate the power of the family in himself, and uniting the parts into one lominion, made himself, in 1688, the first King of the new Kingdom of Prussia. From him the subsequent Kings have descended.

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dienting the hours. The watch is now 112 years

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BRIGHAM YOUNG'S INCOME TAX.—Acting Commissioner J. W. Douglass has addressed a letter to John P. Taggart, Esq., assessor of in ternal revenue at Great Salt Lake City, calling his attention to the income tax heretofore as sessed against Brigham Young as trustee of the Church of Latter Day Saints, and directing him to ascertain the number of persons belonging to the society, and if the income heretofore as sessed exceeded one thousand dollars for each and every five members, and over and above the other lawful deductions, to prepare a claim for the abatement of the tax assessed against Mr. Young in his capacity of trustee. The assessor is directed to take immediate action in

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## MEDICAL.

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Physician of this celebrated institution, has disco-and the most Certain, Speedy, Pleasant and Effectual Property in the Speedy, Pleasant DISEASES OF IMPROVIDED AND WEAKNESS OF the Back or Limbs, Strictures. Weakness of the Back of Links, Streetes, Affection of the Kidneys or Bladder, Involuntary Discharges, Impotency, General Debility, Nervousness; Dyspepsia, Languor, Low Spirits, Confusion of Ideas, Palpitation of the Heart Timidity, Trembling, Dimness of Sigh, or Giddiness, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose or Ship Affection of the Lings, Lungs, Stomach Skin, Affections of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels-those terrible Disorders arising from Solitary Habits of Youth-secret and sol-

itary practices mere fatal to their victims than the song of the Syrens to the Mariners of Ulys-ses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or an ticipations, &c.

YOUNG MEN Especially, who have become the Victims of Solitary Vice, and dreadful and destructive habits which annually sweep to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to estacy the living lyre, may call with full confi-

MARRIAGE. Married persons, or Young Men contemplat-ing marriage, aware of Physical Weakness (Loss of Procreative Power-Impotency.) Ner-vous Excitability, Palpitation, Organic Weak-ness, Nervous Debility, or any other Disquali-He who places himself under the care of Dr.

J. may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and conflictly rely upon his skill

as a physician ORGANIC WEAKNESS.

Immediately cured and Full Vigor Restored.

This distressing Affection—which renders it emiserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper induigencies. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being award of the dreadul consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the natural powers are lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived of the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious pleasure of healthy off-pring, the most serious and destructive symptoms of both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged, the Physical and Mental Functions weakened .-Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indiges-tion, Constitutional Debility and Wasting of the Frame, Cough, Consumption, Decay and

A CURE WARRANTED IN TWO DAYS. Relief in Six Hours! No Mercury! Persons ruined by Ignorant, Trilling Pretenders and their Deadly Poison, should apply im-

mediately. DR. JOHNSTON, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Graduate of one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the hospital-of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing curethat were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great

nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were

cured immediately. TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE. Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgence and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, un-litting them for either busines, study, society or

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offects produced by the early habits of youth, viz: Weaknese of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspep-sia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

MENTALLY — The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded. Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil

Forebodings, Aversion to Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced. Thousands of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated, having a singular ap-

pearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of Consumption.

YOUNG MEN Who have injured themselves by a certain practice, already described, a habit frequently learned from evil companions or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, render-

marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the pride of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyment of his hy the contemporary of desisting the of life by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in pernicious habits. Such persons must, before contemplating

MARRIAGE, Reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubi-al happiness, Indeed, without these the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view, the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another is blighted with our own.

# DISEASE OF IMPRUDENCE.

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds that he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame or dread of discovery deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone betriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased rose, norturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deatness, nodes on the ship bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, and at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose half in, and the victim of this awill do as peccess a horrid object d compaisement, till death puts a period to his drenatul self-ing by sending him to that andiscovered co-try "from whence no travel-

or returns this am lanch and that thousands DIE cle im to the te in sease, the use falling to he hand on a sent or unsailfu. PRE-In DEK who by the use of that deadly roson Mercury Re., destroy the constitution, and incapable curry keep the unhappy suf-ferer month after don he taking their noxious or injurious compounds, and instead of being rest red to ar newal of Life Vigor and Happiness, in despair leave him with ruined Hearth to sigh over his galling disappointment.

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